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### A BILL

To amend sections 2907.06, 2950.13, and 2950.99 and 1 to enact sections 2950.035 and 2950.044 of the 2 Revised Code to prohibit Tier III sex 3 offender/child victim offenders who have committed 4 specified offenses against a victim under 16 years 5 of age from knowingly being present on school 6 premises or preschool or child day-care center premises and to increase the penalty for a first 8 offense of sexual imposition to a misdemeanor of 9 the first degree in specified circumstances. 10

#### BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1. That sections 2907.06, 2950.13, and 2950.99 be	11
amended and sections 2950.035 and 2950.044 of the Revised Code be	12
enacted to read as follows:	13
Sec. 2907.06. (A) No person shall have sexual contact with	14
another, not the spouse of the offender; cause another, not the	15
spouse of the offender, to have sexual contact with the offender;	16

or cause two or more other persons to have sexual contact when any

section 2907.02, 2907.03, 2907.04, 2907.05, or 2907.12 of the

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of the legitimate purposes specified under division (E)(1) of	109
section 2950.035 of the Revised Code for which the offender may be	110
present on school premises or preschool or child day-care center	111
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113 sheriff or sheriff's designee shall provide the notice to a tier III sex offender/child-victim offender subject to the 114 prohibition under division (A) or (B) of section 2950.035 of the 115 Revised Code at the time of the offender's initial registration 116 under section 2950.04, 2950.041, 2950.05, or 2950.06 of the 117 Revised Code, or, if the offender is registered with a sheriff or 118 sheriff's designee under Chapter 2950. of the Revised Code as of 119 the effective date of this section, a sheriff or sheriff's 120 designee shall provide the notice to the offender at the time of a 121 sheriff's or sheriff designee's next contact with the offender 122 under Chapter 2950. of the Revised Code. 123

Sec. 2950.13. (A) The attorney general shall do all of the 124 following:

(1) No later than July 1, 1997, establish and maintain a 126 state registry of sex offenders and child-victim offenders that is 127 housed at the bureau of criminal identification and investigation 128 and that contains all of the registration, change of residence, 129 school, institution of higher education, or place of employment 130 address, and verification information the bureau receives pursuant 131 to sections 2950.04, 2950.041, 2950.05, and 2950.06 of the Revised 132 Code regarding each person who is convicted of, pleads guilty to, 133 has been convicted of, or has pleaded guilty to a sexually 134 oriented offense or a child-victim oriented offense and each 135 person who is or has been adjudicated a delinquent child for 136 committing a sexually oriented offense or a child-victim oriented 137 offense and is classified a juvenile offender registrant or is an 138 out-of-state juvenile offender registrant based on that 139

adjudication, all of the information the bureau receives pursuant	140
to section 2950.14 of the Revised Code, and any notice of an order	141
terminating or modifying an offender's or delinquent child's duty	142
to comply with sections 2950.04, 2950.041, 2950.05, and 2950.06 of	143
the Revised Code the bureau receives pursuant to section 2152.84,	144
2152.85, or 2950.15 of the Revised Code. For a person who was	145
convicted of or pleaded guilty to the sexually oriented offense or	146
child-victim related offense, the registry also shall indicate	147
whether the person was convicted of or pleaded guilty to the	148
offense in a criminal prosecution or in a serious youthful	149
offender case. The registry shall not be open to inspection by the	150
public or by any person other than a person identified in division	151
(A) of section 2950.08 of the Revised Code. In addition to the	152
information and material previously identified in this division,	153
the registry shall include all of the following regarding each	154
person who is listed in the registry:	155

- (a) A citation for, and the name of, all sexually oriented 156 offenses or child-victim oriented offenses of which the person was 157 convicted, to which the person pleaded guilty, or for which the 158 person was adjudicated a delinquent child and that resulted in a 159 registration duty, and the date on which those offenses were 160 committed and a statement as to whether any of those offenses are 161 an offense included under the prohibition in division (A) or (B) 162 of section 2950.035 of the Revised Code; 163
- (b) The text of the sexually oriented offenses or 164 child-victim oriented offenses identified in division (A)(1)(a) of 165 this section as those offenses existed at the time the person was 166 convicted of, pleaded guilty to, or was adjudicated a delinquent 167 child for committing those offenses, or a link to a database that 168 sets forth the text of those offenses; 169
- (c) A statement as to whether the person is a tier I sex offender/child-victim offender, a tier II sex

chapter; 202

(3) In consultation with local law enforcement 203 representatives, adopt rules for the implementation and 204 administration of the provisions contained in section 2950.11 of 205 the Revised Code that pertain to the notification of neighbors of 206 an offender or a delinquent child who has committed a sexually 207 oriented offense or a child-victim oriented offense and and is in 208 a category specified in division (F)(1) of that section and rules 209 that prescribe a manner in which victims of a sexually oriented 210 offense or a child-victim oriented offense committed by an 211 offender or a delinquent child who is in a category specified in 212 division (B)(1) of section 2950.10 of the Revised Code may make a 213 request that specifies that the victim would like to be provided 214 the notices described in divisions (A)(1) and (2) of section 215 2950.10 of the Revised Code; 216

- (4) In consultation with local law enforcement 217 representatives and through the bureau of criminal identification 218 and investigation, prescribe the forms to be used by judges and 219 officials pursuant to section 2950.03 or 2950.032 of the Revised 2.20 Code to advise offenders and delinquent children of their duties 221 of filing a notice of intent to reside, registration, notification 222 of a change of residence, school, institution of higher education, 223 or place of employment address and registration of the new-224 school, institution of higher education, or place of employment 225 address, as applicable, and address verification under sections 226 2950.04, 2950.041, 2950.05, and 2950.06 of the Revised Code, and 227 prescribe the forms to be used by sheriffs relative to those 228 duties of filing a notice of intent to reside, registration, 229 change of residence, school, institution of higher education, or 230 place of employment address notification, and address 231 verification; 232
  - (5) Make copies of the forms prescribed under division (A)(4) 233

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of this section available to judges, officials, and sheriffs;	234
(6) Through the bureau of criminal identification and	235
investigation, provide the notifications, the information and	236
materials, and the documents that the bureau is required to	237
provide to appropriate law enforcement officials and to the	238
federal bureau of investigation pursuant to sections 2950.04,	239
2950.041, 2950.05, and 2950.06 of the Revised Code;	240
(7) Through the bureau of criminal identification and	241
investigation, maintain the verification forms returned under the	242
address verification mechanism set forth in section 2950.06 of the	243
Revised Code;	244
(8) In consultation with representatives of the officials,	245
judges, and sheriffs, adopt procedures for officials, judges, and	246
sheriffs to use to forward information, photographs, and	247
fingerprints to the bureau of criminal identification and	248
investigation pursuant to the requirements of sections 2950.03,	249
2950.04, 2950.041, 2950.05, 2950.06, and 2950.11 of the Revised	250
Code;	251
(9) In consultation with the director of education, the	252
director of job and family services, and the director of	253
rehabilitation and correction, adopt rules that contain guidelines	254
to be followed by boards of education of a school district,	255
chartered nonpublic schools or other schools not operated by a	256
board of education, preschool programs, child day-care centers,	257
type A family day-care homes, certified type B family day-care	258
homes, and institutions of higher education regarding the proper	259
use and administration of information received pursuant to section	260
2950.11 of the Revised Code relative to an offender or delinquent	261
child who has committed a sexually oriented offense or a	262
child-victim oriented offense and is in a category specified in	263
division (F)(1) of that section;	264

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(10) In consultation with local law enforcement	265
representatives and no later than July 1, 1997, adopt rules that	266
designate a geographic area or areas within which the notice	267
described in division (B) of section 2950.11 of the Revised Code	268
must be given to the persons identified in divisions $(A)(2)$ to $(8)$	269
and (A)(10) of that section;	270
(11) Through the bureau of criminal identification and	271
investigation, not later than January 1, 2004, establish and	272
operate on the internet a sex offender and child-victim offender	273
database that contains information for every offender who has	274
committed a sexually oriented offense or a child-victim oriented	275
offense and registers in any county in this state pursuant to	276
section 2950.04 or 2950.041 of the Revised Code and for every	277
delinquent child who has committed a sexually oriented offense, is	278
a public registry-qualified juvenile offender registrant, and	279
registers in any county in this state pursuant to either such	280
section. The bureau shall not include on the database the identity	281
of any offender's or public registry-qualified juvenile offender	282
registrant's victim, any offender's or public registry-qualified	283
juvenile offender registrant's social security number, the name of	284
any school or institution of higher education attended by any	285
offender or public registry-qualified juvenile offender	286
registrant, the name of the place of employment of any offender or	287
public registry-qualified juvenile offender registrant, any	288
tracking or identification number described in division (A)(1)(f)	289
of this section, or any information described in division (C)(7)	290
of section 2950.04 or 2950.041 of the Revised Code. The bureau	291
shall provide on the database, for each offender and each public	292
registry-qualified juvenile offender registrant, at least the	293
information specified in divisions (A)(11)(a) to (h) of this	294
section Otherwise the bureau shall determine the information to	295

be provided on the database for each offender and public

registry-qualified juvenile offender registrant and shall obtain

that information from the information contained in the state	298
registry of sex offenders and child-victim offenders described in	299
division (A)(1) of this section, which information, while in the	300
possession of the sheriff who provided it, is a public record open	301
for inspection as described in section 2950.081 of the Revised	302
Code. The bureau shall include in the public record the identity	303
of any registered offender who is subject to the prohibitions	304
under section 2950.035 of the Revised Code. The database is a	305
public record open for inspection under section 149.43 of the	306
Revised Code, and it shall be searchable by offender or public	307
registry-qualified juvenile offender registrant name, by county,	308
by zip code, and by school district. The database shall provide a	309
link to the web site of each sheriff who has established and	310
operates on the internet a sex offender and child-victim offender	311
database that contains information for offenders and public	312
registry-qualified juvenile offender registrants who register in	313
that county pursuant to section 2950.04 or 2950.041 of the Revised	314
Code, with the link being a direct link to the sex offender and	315
child-victim offender database for the sheriff. The bureau shall	316
provide on the database, for each offender and public	317
registry-qualified juvenile offender registrant, at least the	318
following information:	319
(a) The information described in divisions (A)(1)(a), (b),	320
(c), and (d) of this section relative to the offender or public	321
registry-qualified juvenile offender registrant;	322
(b) The address of the offender's or public	323
registry-qualified juvenile offender registrant's school,	324
institution of higher education, or place of employment provided	325
in a registration form;	326
(c) The information described in division (C)(6) of section	327
2950.04 or 2950.041 of the Revised Code;	328

(d) A chart describing which sexually oriented offenses and

enforcement representatives to remotely search by electronic means 361 the state registry of sex offenders and child-victim offenders 362 described in division (A)(1) of this section and any information 363 and materials the bureau receives pursuant to sections 2950.04, 364 2950.041, 2950.05, 2950.06, and 2950.14 of the Revised Code. The 365 database shall enable local law enforcement representatives to 366 obtain detailed information regarding each offender and delinquent 367 child who is included in the registry, including, but not limited 368 to the offender's or delinquent child's name, aliases, residence 369 address, name and address of any place of employment, school, 370 institution of higher education, if applicable, license plate 371 number of each vehicle identified in division (C)(5) of section 372 2950.04 or 2950.041 of the Revised Code to the extent applicable, 373 victim preference if available, date of most recent release from 374 confinement if applicable, fingerprints, and palmprints, all of 375 the information and material described in division divisions 376 (A)(1)(a) to (h) of this section regarding the offender or 377 delinquent child, and other identification parameters the bureau 378 considers appropriate. The database is not a public record open 379 for inspection under section 149.43 of the Revised Code and shall 380 be available only to law enforcement representatives as described 381 in this division. Information obtained by local law enforcement 382 representatives through use of this database is not open to 383 inspection by the public or by any person other than a person 384 identified in division (A) of section 2950.08 of the Revised Code. 385

(14) Through the bureau of criminal identification and 386 investigation, maintain a list of requests for notice about a 387 specified offender or delinquent child or specified geographical 388 notification area made pursuant to division (J) of section 2950.11 389 of the Revised Code and, when an offender or delinquent child 390 changes residence to another county, forward any requests for 391 information about that specific offender or delinquent child to 392 the appropriate sheriff; 393

- (15) Through the bureau of criminal identification and 394 investigation, establish and operate a system for the immediate 395 notification by electronic means of the appropriate officials in 396 other states specified in this division each time an offender or 397 delinquent child registers a residence, school, institution of 398 higher education, or place of employment address under section 399 2950.04 or 2950.041 of the revised Revised Code or provides a 400 notice of a change of address or registers a new address under 401 division (A) or (B) of section 2950.05 of the Revised Code. The 402 immediate notification by electronic means shall be provided to 403 the appropriate officials in each state in which the offender or 404 delinquent child is required to register a residence, school, 405 institution of higher education, or place of employment address. 406 The notification shall contain the offender's or delinquent 407 child's name and all of the information the bureau receives from 408 the sheriff with whom the offender or delinquent child registered 409 the address or provided the notice of change of address or 410 registered the new address. 411
- (B) The attorney general in consultation with local law
  enforcement representatives, may adopt rules that establish one or
  more categories of neighbors of an offender or delinquent child
  who, in addition to the occupants of residential premises and
  other persons specified in division (A)(1) of section 2950.11 of
  the Revised Code, must be given the notice described in division
  (B) of that section.
- (C) No person, other than a local law enforcement 419 representative, shall knowingly do any of the following: 420
- (1) Gain or attempt to gain access to the database 421 established and operated by the attorney general, through the 422 bureau of criminal identification and investigation, pursuant to 423 division (A)(13) of this section. 424
  - (2) Permit any person to inspect any information obtained

through	use o	f the	database	describe	d in	division	(C)(1)	of	this	426
section,	othe	r thar	n as perm	itted und	er t	nat divis	ion.			427

- (D) As used in this section, "local law enforcement 428 representatives" means representatives of the sheriffs of this 429 state, representatives of the municipal chiefs of police and 430 marshals of this state, and representatives of the township 431 constables and chiefs of police of the township police departments 432 or police district police forces of this state. 433
- Sec. 2950.99. (A)(1)(a) Except as otherwise provided in 434 division (A)(1)(b) of this section, whoever violates a prohibition 435 in section 2950.04, 2950.041, 2950.05, or 2950.06 of the Revised 436 Code shall be punished as follows: 437
- (i) If the most serious sexually oriented offense that was
  the basis of the registration, notice of intent to reside, change
  of address notification, or address verification requirement that
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  was violated under the prohibition is aggravated murder or murder
  if committed by an adult or a comparable category of offense
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  committed in another jurisdiction, the offender is guilty of a
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  felony of the first degree.
- (ii) If the most serious sexually oriented offense or 445 child-victim oriented offense that was the basis of the 446 registration, notice of intent to reside, change of address 447 notification, or address verification requirement that was 448 violated under the prohibition is a felony of the first, second, 449 third, or fourth degree if committed by an adult or a comparable 450 category of offense committed in another jurisdiction, the 451 offender is guilty of a felony of the same degree as the most 452 serious sexually oriented offense or child-victim oriented offense 453 that was the basis of the registration, notice of intent to 454 reside, change of address, or address verification requirement 455 that was violated under the prohibition, or, if the most serious 456

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sexually oriented offense or child-victim oriented offense that	457
was the basis of the registration, notice of intent to reside,	458
change of address, or address verification requirement that was	459
violated under the prohibition is a comparable category of offense	460
committed in another jurisdiction, the offender is guilty of a	461
felony of the same degree as that offense committed in the other	462
jurisdiction would constitute if committed in this state.	463
(iii) If the most serious sexually oriented offense or	464
child-victim oriented offense that was the basis of the	465
registration, notice of intent to reside, change of address	466
notification, or address verification requirement that was	467
violated under the prohibition is a felony of the fifth degree or	468
a misdemeanor if committed by an adult or a comparable category of	469
offense committed in another jurisdiction, the offender is guilty	470
of a felony of the fourth degree.	471
(b) If the offender previously has been convicted of or	472
pleaded guilty to, or previously has been adjudicated a delinquent	473
child for committing, a violation of a prohibition in section	474
2950.04, 2950.041, 2950.05, or 2950.06 of the Revised Code,	475
whoever violates a prohibition in section 2950.04, 2950.041,	476
2950.05, or 2950.06 of the Revised Code shall be punished as	477
follows:	478
(i) If the most serious sexually oriented offense that was	479
the basis of the registration, notice of intent to reside, change	480
of address notification, or address verification requirement that	481
was violated under the prohibition is aggravated murder or murder	482
if committed by an adult or a comparable category of offense	483
committed in another jurisdiction, the offender is guilty of a	484
felony of the first degree.	485
(ii) If the most serious sexually oriented offense or	486

child-victim oriented offense that was the basis of the

registration, notice of intent to reside, change of address

notification, or address verification requirement that was 489 violated under the prohibition is a felony of the first, second, 490 or third degree if committed by an adult or a comparable category 491 of offense committed in another jurisdiction, the offender is 492 guilty of a felony of the same degree as the most serious sexually 493 oriented offense or child-victim oriented offense that was the 494 basis of the registration, notice of intent to reside, change of 495 address, or address verification requirement that was violated 496 under the prohibition, or, if the most serious sexually oriented 497 offense or child-victim oriented offense that was the basis of the 498 registration, notice of intent to reside, change of address, or 499 address verification requirement that was violated under the 500 prohibition is a comparable category of offense committed in 501 another jurisdiction, the offender is guilty of a felony of the 502 same degree as that offense committed in the other jurisdiction 503 would constitute if committed in this state. 504

(iii) If the most serious sexually oriented offense or 505 child-victim oriented offense that was the basis of the 506 registration, notice of intent to reside, change of address 507 notification, or address verification requirement that was 508 violated under the prohibition is a felony of the fourth or fifth 509 degree if committed by an adult or a comparable category of 510 offense committed in another jurisdiction, the offender is guilty 511 of a felony of the third degree. 512

(iv) If the most serious sexually oriented offense or 513 child-victim oriented offense that was the basis of the 514 registration, notice of intent to reside, change of address 515 notification, or address verification requirement that was 516 violated under the prohibition is a misdemeanor if committed by an 517 adult or a comparable category of offense committed in another 518 jurisdiction, the offender is guilty of a felony of the fourth 519 degree. 520

- (2)(a) In addition to any penalty or sanction imposed under 521 division (A)(1) of this section or any other provision of law for 522 a violation of a prohibition in section 2950.04, 2950.041, 523 2950.05, or 2950.06 of the Revised Code, if the offender or 524 delinquent child is subject to a community control sanction, is on 525 parole, is subject to one or more post-release control sanctions, 526 or is subject to any other type of supervised release at the time 527 of the violation, the violation shall constitute a violation of 528 the terms and conditions of the community control sanction, 529 parole, post-release control sanction, or other type of supervised 530 release. 531
- (b) In addition to any penalty or sanction imposed under 532 division (A)(1)(b)(i), (ii), or (iii) of this section or any other 533 provision of law for a violation of a prohibition in section 534 2950.04, 2950.041, 2950.05, or 2950.06 of the Revised Code, if the 535 offender previously has been convicted of or pleaded guilty to, or 536 previously has been adjudicated a delinquent child for committing, 537 a violation of a prohibition in section 2950.04, 2950.041, 538 2950.05, or 2950.06 of the Revised Code when the most serious 539 sexually oriented offense or child-victim oriented offense that 540 was the basis of the requirement that was violated under the 541 prohibition is a felony if committed by an adult or a comparable 542 category of offense committed in another jurisdiction, the court 543 imposing a sentence upon the offender shall impose a definite 544 prison term of no less than three years. The definite prison term 545 imposed under this section is not restricted by division (B) of 546 section 2929.14 of the Revised Code and shall not be reduced to 547 less than three years pursuant to Chapter 2967. or any other 548 provision of the Revised Code. 549
- (3) As used in division (A)(1) of this section, "comparable 550
  category of offense committed in another jurisdiction" means a 551
  sexually oriented offense or child-victim oriented offense that 552

was the basis of the registration, notice of intent to reside,	553
change of address notification, or address verification	554
requirement that was violated, that is a violation of an existing	555
or former law of another state or the United States, an existing	556
or former law applicable in a military court or in an Indian	557
tribal court, or an existing or former law of any nation other	558
than the United States, and that, if it had been committed in this	559
state, would constitute or would have constituted aggravated	560
murder or murder for purposes of division (A)(1)(a)(i) of this	561
section, a felony of the first, second, third, or fourth degree	562
for purposes of division $(A)(1)(a)(ii)$ of this section, a felony	563
of the fifth degree or a misdemeanor for purposes of division	564
(A)(1)(a)(iii) of this section, aggravated murder or murder for	565
purposes of division $(A)(1)(b)(i)$ of this section, a felony of the	566
first, second, or third degree for purposes of division	567
(A)(1)(b)(ii) of this section, a felony of the fourth or fifth	568
degree for purposes of division (A)(1)(b)(iii) of this section, or	569
a misdemeanor for purposes of division (A)(1)(b)(iv) of this	570
section.	571

- (B) If a person violates a prohibition in section 2950.04, 572 2950.041, 2950.05, or 2950.06 of the Revised Code that applies to 573 the person as a result of the person being adjudicated a 574 delinquent child and being classified a juvenile offender 575 registrant or an out-of-state juvenile offender registrant, both 576 of the following apply: 577
- (1) If the violation occurs while the person is under
   eighteen years of age, the person is subject to proceedings under
   Chapter 2152. of the Revised Code based on the violation.
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- (2) If the violation occurs while the person is eighteen
  years of age or older, the person is subject to criminal
  prosecution based on the violation.
  - (C) Whoever violates division (C) of section 2950.13 of the 584

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Revised Code is guilty of a misdemeanor of the first degree.	585	
(D) Whoever violates section 2950.035 of the Revised Code is	586	
guilty of a misdemeanor of the second degree on a first offense, a		
misdemeanor of the first degree on a second offense, and a felony	588	
of the fifth degree on each subsequent offense.	589	
Section 2. That existing sections 2907.06, 2950.13, and	590	
2950.99 of the Revised Code are hereby repealed.	591	